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CHINESE BANDITS IN MUKDEN

ANOTHER JAPANESE TAKEN AWAY
FOR RANSOM

According to a Mukden despatch, on August 23rd at 8 p.m. the farm of a Japanese named Kobayashi in Nantanshan (80 miles south of Mukden) along the South Manchuria Railway was attacked by gang of 30 Chinese bandits who after depriving Kobayashi of ¥ 100 in cash took him away for ransom. On receiving the report 15 policemen from Taishihchia in co-operation with ten soldiers on guard hastened to the scene and started to search for the bandits, but so far to no purpose, though a letter stating that Kobayashi will be set free provided a sum of ¥50,000 is paid to the bandits within this month was discovered. This has added to the insecurity which the Japanese residents feel for the whereabouts of K. Minami of Okura and J. Yamada recently taken away by the bandits are still unknown.

ANOTHER RAID BY BANDITS

According to an urgency dispatch from Mukden, on Monday at 8 p.m. Changtu on the South Manchuria Railway was attacked by a gang of 60 bandits who exchanged fire with the Japanese railway guard and police, and as the security of Japanese residents had been threatened, a military detachment (17) and police posse (22) equipped with machine guns have been hastily dispatched to Changtu. Details are still unknown.

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「ジヤパン。クロニクル」よりの記事

一九三一年八月二十九日付（四頁）

奉天に於ける中國人匪賊

此が日本人を拉致・身代金を要求

奉天電報によれば八月二十二日午後八時・南滿洲鐵道沿線ナタンシヤノ
 奉天南方八十哩の小林とふ日本人の農園を三十名の中國人匪賊が襲
 撃し同氏より現金百圓を奪つた後、身代金を要求するため同氏を拉致した
 同報告を受取るや十五名の警官は警備兵十五名と協力、タイシーチアより
 現場に急行、匪賊の搜索に當つたが現在の所その效無く今月中に匪賊に五
 萬圓を支拂へば小林氏を解放すると誓いた手紙を發見したのみである。
 最近匪賊に拉致された大倉のケイ、南及びアイ。山田兩氏の行方が依然と

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して不明である際として日本人居留民の不安は本事件によつて増大した。

再び匪賊に襲はる

奉天發達急報によれば、昨日午後八時南滿洲鐵道の張土を六〇名の匪賊が襲撃し、日本側鐵道警備隊及び警官隊と交戦した。すでに日本人居留民の安全が脅かされてゐた際なので、分遣隊（十七名）及び警官隊（二十二名）が張土に派遣された。詳細はなお不明である。